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## Lloyd's Register of British & Foreign Shipping,

71, Fenchurch Street, E.C.

4th April, 1913.

Dear Sirs,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your telegram reading as follows:-

"We have ordered for steamer "COLUSA" now at Cardiff 90 fathoms $1\frac{3}{8}$" stud link stream chain from Green of Old Hill to take place of $1\frac{1}{4}$" chain supplied. Will you instruct Testing House there to work overtime in order to complete test as steamer sails from Cardiff tomorrow and we wish it forwarded at latest by first passenger train tomorrow to Cardiff. Might also get Testing House to wireus when and how despatched".

As you did not say at which Proving House the chain would be tested, I at once telephoned to Mr.Green and ascertained from that gentleman that the chain would be sent to Lloyd's Proving House, Netherton. Telegraphic instructions were immediately sent to the Superintendent of that Establishment and I wired to you as follows:-

"'COLUSA' have wired Superintendent Proving House arrange work overtime if at all possible and wire you as desired".

I am, Dear Sirs,
Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Messrs.William Hamilton & Co., Ld.,
Shipbuilders,
PORT GLASGOW.

received your telegram reading:"COLUSA, $1\frac{3}{8}$ chain at Netherton Proving House."

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